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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below at 201 et seq. underneath my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor if only one name is listed at 201 below, or an original, first and joint inventor if plural names are listed at 201 et seq. below, of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

## SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ORTHOGONAL FREQUENCY DIVISION MULTIPLEXED OPTICAL COMMUNICATION

and for which a patent application:

? is identified by Pennie & Edmonds LLP Docket No. 10565-0011

? is attached hereto and includes amendment(s) filed on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable)

? was filed in the United States on February 28, 2002 as Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ (for declaration not accompanying application)

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? was filed as PCT international Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ and was amended under PCT Article 19 on \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby declare that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, 119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

EARLIEST FOREIGN APPLICATION(S), IF ANY, FILED PRIOR TO THE FILING DATE OF THE APPLICATION			
APPLICATION NUMBER	COUNTRY	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED
			YES ? NO :
			YES : NO ?

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE
60/234,930	September 26, 2000

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

APPLICATION SERIAL NO.	FILING DATE	STATUS		
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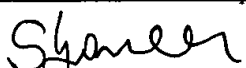
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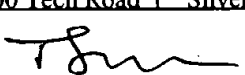
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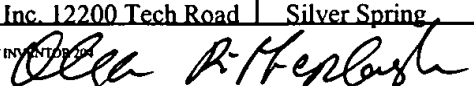
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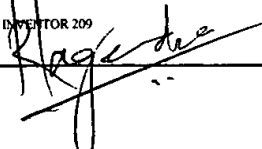
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